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THE SENTIMENT OF A PATRIOT.—The New York *Times* makes the following patriotic and sensible remarks:

The war is not going to last always, and when it ends there will be in every state in the South a large number of persons who have helped, in one way or another, either to bring it about or to carry it on, as well as others who have been from the first opposed to it, and have suffered for their Unionist opinions. Now every body who loves the Union party ought, so far from seeking to keep alive the flame of animosity between these two classes of persons, to do every thing in their power to extinguish it. A very strong desire for revenge will, of course reign, for a good while in the breasts of a victorious party; but he must be a poor patriot, as well as a poor christian, who will do or say anything to help them to gratify it. And the business of every man who finds himself in an official position at the South hereafter is, above all other things, to wipe out, as far as he can, the memories of the war.

A newspaper correspondent, who has just made a trip up the Mississippi, speaks as follows of the desolation of war: "Those who remember, in the years that have passed, how delightful was a trip on the Mississippi, can hardly realize the sad change in the present. Years of war, of fratricidal, war, have done their work well; and the cities in embryo, with their thriving commerce, and pretty villages that once dotted the banks of the great river, are now in ruins, their once happy people dead or in the army, (which is but another name for death) and desolation, utter and profound, reigns over nearly all of the great valley. There is not an exception below Cairo to the Gulf—all have shared a common fate.

STOCKTON INDEPENDENT.—This journal, which is now in its eight volume, appeared lately in an enlarged form and complete new typographical dress. It says it is an established institution, and we can well believe the statement from its present appearance. The *Independent*, during the whole progress of the rebellion, has been a true and loyal sheet, and at no time has put forth an uncertain sound. It has been edited with earnestness and ability, and has been of great service to the cause of the Union. We wish it many years of prosperity and continued usefulness.—*Sac. Union.*

"Fancy," said Sydney Smith to some ladies, when he was told one of the giraffes at the Zoological Gardens had caught a cold, "a giraffe with two yards of sore throat." We were reminded of this the other day, when a little urchin at Barnum's Museum, contemplating the "eight foot" giant, remarked: "Golly, what an awful time he must have when he has the belly ache!"

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SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 20, 1865.

The Roads Eastward.

Gen. Hughes, whom we met in Camp since his arrival from the east, gives a somewhat doleful account of the condition in which he found the road between here and Fort Bridger. He says that the grades are either very badly obstructed with slides or washed away in many places, while the larger streams along the route are brimming full from the rapidly melting snows on the mountains. He seems to think a journey eastward, just now, to be nearly as much a matter of navigation as of stage travel.

But from Capt. Dalton, more recently over the road from Bridger, we are glad to learn that there is a manifest improvement in the condition—men are out repairing the difficult places, and he thinks in a few days the trip may be undertaken without fear of serious damage to life or limb, or extraordinary preparations for swimming in case of shipwreck. We learn the last stage came through from Denver in seven days, and it is to be hoped that the company will be enabled to continue this improved time and bring on the mail matter which lingers along the road.

BY PACIFIC TELEGRAPH.

[SPECIAL TO THE DAILY VEDETTE.]

Louisville, May 16th.

Maj. Gen. Thomas arrived this evening, en route for Washington. Gov. Brown, of Georgia, arrived this morning and left this afternoon. He was arrested on the night of the 9th, at the executive mansion, in Milledgeville.

The Nashville Press learns that Gen Forrest was killed by Capt. Wilder, of the rebel army, in revenge for shooting his son.

St. Louis, May 16th.

Cairo dispatches says that, Regrella, with forty-five hundred troops, appeared before Matamoras on the 29th ult., and demanded the surrender, which was refused. The Imperialists marched out to meet them with cavalry and artillery. No fight occurred. Business was suspended in Matamoras, and the streets barricaded, in expectation of an attack; but all was quiet on the evening of the second. The custom house officers fled to Brownsville, and the wealthy citizens moved all valuables to the same place. Eight hundred French troops arrived at the mouth of the Rio Grande on the 2d, and left for the interior the next day. A report reached Bagdad on the 4th that the Liberals were in full retreat.

The steamer Martin Walt was robbed of $8,000 in money and $2.000 worth of goods, by guerrillas, at James Landing, on Saturday week. The boat was released.

New York, May 16th.

The Commercial's special says: The evidence of the guilt of the prisoners at the conspiracy trial, appears so conclusive as to completely check the current of sympathy in their favor, produced by the proposed secret trial. It is said the prisoners are warned by their counsel to abandon all hope, and they appear utterly broken down. Reverdy Johnson takes but little part in the trial; he is preparing an elaborate argument, challenging the jurisdiction of the court.

Chicago, May 16th.

Hon. Schuyler Colfax leaves to morrow night on a tour over the plains and through California and Oregon, accompanied by Lieut. Gov. Bross, of Illinois, General Garfield, Sam. Bowles, of the Springfield Republican, and A. D. Richardson, of the New York Tribune. They expect to arrive in San Francisco about the 1st of August.

New York, May 17th.

The Herald's Chester, S. C., correspondent says: The rebel Gov. Vance, of N. C., arrived in Buncombe county last Friday, escorted by a detachment of Kilpatrick's cavalry, by orders from Washington, whither, it is said, he will be sent to stand a trial for treason. It is reported that another detachment of cavalry was in pursuit of Gov. Magrath, of South Carolina.

The rebel General Joe Johnson is at Charlotte, N. C. It is said he applied for permission to go to Canada, but was refused.

The pirate Semmes, with some companions, are endeavoring to reach the coast and make good their escape out of the country by sea.

The Herald's Richmond correspondent says: The news of the capture of Jeff Davis was received there by the old residents and rebellious sympathizers with the greatest astonishment and deepest sense of humiliation of their traitorous cause.

The Herald's correspondent says: Gov. Pierpont, of Virginia, issued an address to the voters in the 1st, 2d and 7th Congressional Districts, that the scale on the subject of elections on the 4th Thursday in May is a regular election day, but as the districts above named are not thoroughly organized, no election can be held. By the laws of Virginia the Executive is empowered to call upon elections to fill vacancies. Gov. Pierpont therefore advises no polls to be opened for the election of members of Congress, either in counties already organized or in those not organized; assuring the people that as soon as county officers in the organized portions are elected, he will order a special election for the above named districts.

New York, May 17th.

By way of Havana we learn that the rebel leaders in Texas and western Louisiana were still, at the date of latest accounts, proclaiming at public meetings addresses for a determination to continue the war, notwithstanding the failure of the cause east of Miss. Gen. Magruder made a speech on the 14th ult, in which he announces that he could see nothing discouraging for the rebels in their military situation and mysteriously hinted that they had a might or near at hand, regarding whom he didn't feel at liberty to say anything further at that time.

The military commission for the trial of the conspirators, visited Fords Theater yesterday, when it was found that the assassin ran, after falling on the stage, to get out of the building, a distance of ninty feet. The passage was six feet wide and entirely unobstructed and is on a level with the ground in the rear of the building; so the assassin had no steps to ascend or descend. There is a narrow hall leading from the stage on the south side of the theater, on 10th st., on which the building fronts. It was at the front door of this hall, that Booth, Spangler and another man, whose name is not yet given in the evidence, were engaged in the mysterious whisperings and manœuvering, which attracted the attention of sergeant M. Dye, as detailed by him in the testimony yesterday. Everything in the building is just as it was at the time of the assassination, except the chair in which Lincoln sat; this has been taken away and the blue flag which hung in front of the box, and in which Booth's spurs caught has been removed

Cincinnati, May 17th.

The Commercial's special says, the Kentucky legislature assembled yesterday, with no quorum present. The special business of the session, was to try Chief Justice Bullett, on the charge of conspiracy and overthrow of the Government. It is reported that Bullett will resign in order to escape trial.

New York, May 17th.

The steamer Columbia, which arrived at Key West from Havana, reported to our authorities, that the pirate Stonewall was receiving men and ammunitions from the Owl, and other confederate steamers and blockade runners.

Captain John M. Maffit, has assumed command of the Stonewall.

The United States steamer, Powhattan, went to sea from Key West on learning the movements of the Stonewall.

New Orleans, May 15th.

The United States Consul, at Havana, reports that the rebel ram, Stonewall, left that part on the eleventh inst, ostensibly for Galveston.

Washington, May 17th.

It is understood that the President, yesterday respited the sentence of the Indiana conspirators. Bowels and Milligan, from friday next, to the 2nd, of June and commuted that of Horsey, to imprisonment for life.

Washington, May 17th.

John S. Blatchford, of Boston is appointed General Secretary of the United States Sanitary Commission, Vice Jenkins resigned.

New York, May 17th.

The Raleigh Standard, of the 11th, says, it is probable that steps will soon be taken to call a convention to construct a loyal state Government.

New York, May 17th.

The testimony taken in the conspiracy case last Friday, now made public, shows that the conspiracy dates back to the summer of 1863 and that Booth was then engaged in it. The conspiracy contemplated the capture of Lincoln and his murder; the burning of northern cities creating disatisfaction among northern people, and bringing about a revolution in favor of the confederacy. Booth was the leading agent in the matter, visiting various parts of the country and holding secret consultations in Canada, with George N. Sanders, Clay Holcomb Thompson and others. Booth was furnished with money from Richmond and was an agent to hire others.

The Commercial's special says, a delegation of twenty citizens from all parts of North Carolina, were invited by the President to confer with him on the reconstruction of a Loyal State Government have arrived. They reported great destitution in the state and no horses, mules, tools or seeds for planting the crops.

The Government has been advised that the authorities of Nassau, have extended coaling facilities to the Stonewall, which was refused to United States ships.

The Testimony before the military commission to-day, shows the whole plan for the capture of Booth, making it appear that we have the best detective system in the world.

A letter from Jeff. Davis was found on Booth's body which amply justifies the the charge of conspiracy to murder made against him.

The Nightingale, from Havana, with dates to the 11th, and Kingston to the 13th, has arrived.

The rebel ram Stonewall arrived at Havana on the 11th, and it is said the government would not allow her any facilities for doing damage to our shipping, and that she would be obliged to leave within twenty-four hours, and would not be allowed to discharge or take in any men or ammunition, and only sufficient coal to take her to sea, and that if the Captain General had orders to that effect, he would willingly seize her. There is no report of her having destroyed any vessels on the way to Havana.

It is reported that the blockade runner, Imogene, had arrived at Matanzas on the 10th, with 1,000 bales of cotton from Galveston, and landed twelve passengers en route for Europe. The Imogene sailed on the 11th, ostensibly for Nassau, and her passengers reached Havana on the 15th. It is said the Consul applied officially for permission to send by the gunboat, notification of the presence of the Stonewall, to Key West, and Gen. Delarina refused the request. The American steamer Columbia was then sent, and as she passed the Florida coast, signal fires were seen along for twenty miles. On the 7th, the steamer appeared off the Moro. She was signalled, and suddenly, under all steam, started northward, displaying the English ensign at her peak and rebel flag at the fore. It was thought she was the Imogene.

The Columbia, from Havana 13th, has arrived. The pirate Stonewall left Teneriffe April 1st and arrived at Bermuda on the 26th, and thence proceeded to Nassau. She was unable to get over the bar, owing to drawing over sixteen feet of water, and occupied three days in the passage to Havana. She was not saluted at Havana. The Spanish General, Demorina, under pretence of showing the pirate to his daughter, paid her a visit. One of the Captain General's aids and several government officers, also visited the pirate. Some difficulties were attempted to be placed in the way of the clearing of the steamer Columbia, for Key West, by our Consul; but Messrs. M. Morale & Co. overcame them, and she was allowed to depart to warn Admiral Stribbing at Key West.

Newbern, May 11th.

The Weldon railroad is now in operation, and trains are running daily on the road, which is also running through from Morehead City to Raleigh, Salisbury, Charlotte and Danville to Richmond.

New York, May 18th.

The Herald's correspondent says: The question, long agitated, as to who is responsible for the cruel treatment of our prisoners confined at Libby and other prisons, may now be considered as definitely settled. It appears that the rebel Senator Foote was a member of the committee in the Senate to examine into the treatment of prisoners, and reports of their harsh usage and starvation. His story, as told by his relatives, shows deeper intention than he generally supposed, and fastens ugon Jeff Davis and his Cabinet a crime startling and appalling in its details.

Foote, it is said, states that the investigations showed conclusive evidence that it was decided in the Cabinet meeting to reduce the rations served to prisoners, and that it should so weaken their constitution, in connection with the confinement, that it would destroy them as soldiers and make them, when exchanged, worthless. Foote determined to report these facts to the Senate, but the balance of the committee overruled him and suppressed the facts. It was on this point that the quarrel between Davis and Foote broke out afresh, and which resulted in the latter leaving Richmond

New York, May 18th.

The Herald's correspondent, from Kilpatrick's cavalry camp, near Lexington, N. C, says, Planters of the surrounding country are greatly troubled, regarding the anticipated scarcity of hands to perform necessary agricultural labor. The design visiting north to procure laborers; they say negroes now that the are free, are unreliable and the poor whites of the State are to lazy to work. The dissolution of the rebel armies, threw loose upon North Carolina, as well as other States, thousands of disorderly characters, who roam through the country, plundering from friends and foes indiscriminately, causing a reign of terror and anarchy. This condition of things has been to a great extent terminated by the judicious distribution at various places through the State of detachments of national troops.

The Tribune's despatch from Raleigh the 12th says, the number of Johnson's army, which were paroled at Greensboro, have been swelled by addition, of a large portion of Wheeler's command and others received by Major Walcott at Charlotte N. C., now amounts to 56,971; among these are 41 General officers.

Both Houses of the Kentucky Legislature convened yesterday. The House adopted a resolution directing the Committee on the Condition of Slavery to revise the state slave code.

Nashville dispatches say that the rebel leaders Gatewood and Champ Ferguson are committing great depredations on the defenseless people in East Tennessee. A large number of paroled prisoners from Lee and Johnston's army are traveling through the country, robbing and plundering.

On the 9th, Jeff. Davis, after dividing his specie among his staff and personal escort informed those with him that they must look out for their personal safety, and taking a few trusty followers, including Benjamin and Breckenridge, was attempting to reach the coast when arrested. Basil Duke and several of his field officers, have surrendered at Augusta Davis was expected to reach Nashville last night.

Twenty four hundred prisoners at Camp Chase have taken the oath and have been discharged.

New York, May 18th.

The Tribune's special says: A delegation of Congressmen, headed by Jas. M. Ashley, called on the President today, for the purpose of protesting against any action on the part of the government which shall extend the rights of prisoners of war to those officers and privates in the late service, who have consented to the murder and starvation of our men, when prisoners of war. It is understood the President agreed with the delegation, and will proceed to act upon their representations, by directing testimony to be taken upon the subject.

Washington, May 17th.

A review of the grand armies now assembling around Washington, will take place here on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

(Signed,) STANTON.

New York, May 18th.

The Tribune's dispatch says: The President's forthcoming amnesty proclamation is already in type, and proof sheets have been under consideration for several days by the Cabinet. It is understood it will proffer the oath of allegiance to all who have served in the rebel armies, up to a certain grade, and when accepted, it is to constitue full change and pardon. It is also stated that full scope and limitations of Gens. Grant and Sherman's terms of amnesty are to be deferred to, while those officers who shall have been convicted of horrible cruelties, perpetrated upon our prisoners, will be tried, and if convicted, punished.

The Post's special says: It is thought that witnesses will be produced in the conspiracy trial this forenoon to identify Payne as the man who attacked Secretary Seward.

Philadelphia, May 18th.

Merrick's foundry, which occupied a whole square on Fifth, Fourth, Washington and Federal streets, caught fire in the center of the building, and most of the buildings on Fifth street were destroyed; loss, large.

New York, May 18th.

The Times says, General Lemon, of Rutland, Vermont, has ingeniously contrived a torpedo, exactly resembling a large lump of coal, which was sent him from Richmond by his son, Ripley, and was found in the private cabinet of Jeff. Davis.

The Post says, it has information from a trustworthy official source, that a note or a dispatch in cypher, was found in Booth's pocket; the paper in cypher had previously been found in Jeff. Davis' house in Richmond; this paper wasn't supposed to be of importance until the one in Booth's pocket was compared with it and the note proves that Davis was in communication with two men in Canada, for whom a reward has been offered.

The Times special says, General Siegel has become connected as the leading publisher and editor with the Daily and weekly Baltimore Wecker, a German republican newspaper.

The Tribune's special says: Within the last four or five days, thirty new districts for a collection of an internal revenue have been ordered, in Virginia, North Carolina, Tennessee, also Kentucky and Mississippi. Revenue officers have been appointed for the collection of revenue from the late rebel districts and are already commencing. The right wing of Sherman's army is commanded by General Logan, who is not expected to arrive at Alexandria before Friday or Saturday.

Sherman's Head-quarters have been prepared for his reception and are situated in an orchard, a short distance outside of Alexandria. When General Halleck learned that Gen. Howard was intending to march the right wing of Sherman's army through Richmond, he telegraphed Howard that he should not permit it and his guards would be instructed to forbid their passage of pontoons. Howard thanked Halleck by removing his guards and substituting his own.

New York, May 16th.

Bermuda papers publishes the detailed testimony concerning the attempt to introduce yellow fever into New York. The evidence appears conclusive that Dr. Blackburn had packed several trunks with clothing taken from persons who died from this disease and left them with Mr. Swan, to be shipped to New York. The Board of Health getting wind of this, caused the arrest of Swan. A trunk was found on his premises. A rigid ex-

amination has disclosed the whole plot.

The Tribune publishes an Imperial decree, issued at the City of Mexico on March 4th, declaring all contracts for land or other property made with Benito Juarez to be of no value after that date, and no claims of parties to any land on the Pacific coast will be respected.

By way of Panama it is announced that the pirate Shenandoah sailed from Melbourne on the 18th of February; destination unknown, but it is supposed she would undertake a cruise on the Pacific coast, in track of vessels bound for California.

Local Matters.

A STRONG GIRL WANTED.—Read the advertisement in the down-town daily, and for particulars inquire of Madame—but which? This is a good chance, but the applicant had better be safely "sealed" at once, as, if strong enough to suit, she will doubtless have an early opportunity "to go in third."

A fellow out West advertises on behalf of a certain famous accidental railway that an "experienced coroner and six practical jurors will follow each regular train in special cars, together with a few surgeons and reporters."

Parson Brownlow was inaugurated Governor of Tennessee on the 7th, and the Legislature of that State has ratified the slavery abolishing amendment to the national Constitution.

"Did you see my black faced antelope?" said squiggles to Brown. "No whom did your black faced aunt elope with."

THE reported death of General Ambrose Powell Hill, one of Lee's Division Commanders, was correct. He was buried in Richmond the day before its evacuation by the rebels.

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Sausages,
Head-cheese,
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my17-tf. JACOB ORNSTEIN.

Election Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons owning interes s in the Rush Valley Mining District that the anual Election of Recorder for the said District will be held, at NORTON & JAYNES HALL, Stockton, Tooele County, on Saturday, June 10th, 1865, at one o.clock P. M. my17-td.

Y. M. LITERARY ASSOCIATION.

THE first Semi annual election for officers of the association will be held at the next regular meeting on Monday evening 22d inst. at 7 1-2 o'clock.

Every member should be present.

my17-5t. SAMUEL DEAN, Sec'y.

Notice.

ANY one knowing anything of the whereabouts of James Warren Briggs is requested to write to either of his Brothers. William or Jonathan Briggs Central City, Colorado.

He is known to have been in Salt Lake Valley in 1862. my10-1m.

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Salt Lake City Prices' Current.

(Corrected Daily by GILBERT & SONS.)

SALT LAKE CITY, May 19, 1865,

DRY GOODS—			
Prints,	per yard	25 @	30
Ginghams	" "	50 @	60
Checks	" "	65 @	75
Stripes	" "	65 @	75
Tickings	" "	75 @	85
Bro. Drills	" "	75 @	..
" Sheetings	" "	75 @	..
Osnaburg	" "	1,00 @	..
Rich'd Cotton,	per yrd	60 @	80
Denims	" "	60 @	75
Flannels,	" "	75 @	1,00
Spool Cotton,	per doz	2,80 @	..
GROCERIES—			
Coffee,	per lb	1,15 @	..
Sugar,	" "	85 @	..
Candles,	" "	90 @	..
Gun Powder,	" "	2,00 @	..
Tobacco,	" "	2,00 @	4,00
Tea,	" "	5'00 @	6,00
Bacon. State,	" "	80 @	..
" Valley,	" "	60 @	..
Nails,	" "	40 @	60
Coal Oil,	" gall	10,00 @	..
Linseed,	" "	12,00 @	..
Turpentine,	" "	15,00 @	..
Palm Soap,	per lb	50 @	..
Castile,	" "	1,25 @	..
Pepper,	" "	1 00 @	..
Allspice,	" "	1,00 @	..
Whisky,	per gall	15,00 @	..
Brandy,	" "	20,00 @	..
Glass 8x10	per box	33.00 @	..
" 10x12	" "	35,00 @	..
" 10x14	" "	37,00 @	..
" 12x16	" "	40 00 @	..
LEATHER—			
Sole,	per lb	1,00 @	..
Harness,	" "	1,25 @	..
Bridle,	per doz	125,00 @	..
PKip,	" "	175,00 @	..
White Lead,	per keg	15,00 @	..
RODUCE—			
Flour,	per 100 lbs	10,00 @	..
Indian Meal,	" "	8,00 @	..
Wheat,	per bush	4,00 @	-.
Barley,	" "	4,00 @	-.
Oats	" "	3 50 @	..
Eggs,	per doz	50 @	75
Butter,	per lb	1,25 @	..
Cheese,	" "	75 @	60
Hay,	per ton	40,00 @	..
Straw,	" "	25,00 @	..
Wood,	per cord	25,00 @	..
Coal,	per ton	40,00 @	..
Molasses,	per gall	3,50 @	4,00
Potatoes,	per bush	2,50 @	..
Onions,	" "	6,00 @	..
Dried Peaches,	per lb	75 @	..
" Apples,	" "	75 @	..
PROVISIONS—			
Beef, fresh,		15 @	25
" corned,		15 @	16
" dried,		00 @	00
Pork, fresh		50 @	00
" pickled,		50 @	00
Pigs feet	per lb	50 @	00
Hams, Valley,		1,00 @	00
Mutton,		15 @	25
Veal,		20 @	25
Sausage, bologna,		1,00 @	00
" fresh		50 @	00
Pork head cheese		50 @	00
Liver pudding		50 @	00

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All debts due and against the said firm will be settled by Mr. John Kelley.

Stocton, R. V., May 15th, 1865.

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my16-1w. JOHN KELLEY.

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apl8-tf JO. S. ROBERSON, Agent.

A MURDEROUS REBEL MISSILE.—A young man named Kinney, formerly a Trojan, but recently belonging to a Western regiment, reached Troy a few days since. He served for a long time under General Sherman, and was wounded at the battle of Altoona. The circumstances attending his injuries are such as we do not recolect to have seen recorded during the war. Young Kinney was shot in the lower part of the leg by a bullet, apparently an ordinary rifle ball. It lodged in the limb but did not prevent his walking to the rear. He had just seated himself in an ambulance, a half hour after being hit, when the bullet exploded in his leg shattering the limb terribly, making four distinct openings and carrying away a quantity of bone. Despite the severe shock the young hero traveled to his home in Troy, and is now under the care of one of our surgeons, with a chance of his recovery. He is patriotic as he is brave. "Save my limb, doctor," he said, "for God's sake; I want to get back and join my regiment. But if I've got to lose both legs for my country, why it's all right." The use of missiles that explode half an hour after lodgement in any part of the body is an English novelty, practiced only by rebels.—*Exchange.*

A MACON correspondent of the Atlanta Register tells about a Federal spy dressed in woman's clothes that was in that city a few days before and succeeded in making his escape before being detected, and also tells how a traveling show arrived at Ophelika, Alabama, in the fall of 1864, the dansuese of which entrapped the heart of the Post Commandent, and how it was discovered when Roussean made his raid into that place, that the charmer was a ruddy Adjutant of one of Rousseau's regiments, and (her) his attendants all Yankee spies.

GOLD IN NEVADA COUNTY.—The Nevada *Transcript* says:

Considerable excitement has been created by the discovery of a rich quartz lead in Willow Valley, a short distance from this city. The ledge is three feet thick and contains a large quantity of pure gold and rich sulphurets. We understand that extensions have been taken up for a considerable distance.

COST OF THE WAR.—Hon. Sam. S. Cox, in a speech in Congress, stated that the appropriation bills for the last session amounted to at least $900,000,000. In the last five sessions of Congress the appropriations have amounted to nearly $4,000,000,000. The army alone has cost over $3,000,000,000.

BIDDY, while on a begging expedition, was asked by a lady if she had any children. "Yes, mum," replied Biddy, with great readiness, "I'm the mother of an orphan."

A MAN who has some "music in his soul," says that the most cheerful and soothing of all fireside melodies are the blended tones of a cricket, a tea-kettle, a loving wife, and the crowing of a baby.

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